THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

ARS Spartan Sprint: 0200Z-0400Z, Dec 4
  Geographic Focus: North America
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Skinny
           Tubby
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Power
  Work stations: Once per band
  Submit logs by: December 6, 2018
  E-mail logs to: spartansprint[at]yahoo[dot]com
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://arsqrp.blogspot.com/2009/02/so-whats-spartan-sprint-and-how-do-i.html

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 5
  Geographic Focus: United States
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 40m Only
  Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: 0330Z December 6, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (see rules)

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  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

Phone Weekly Test: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 5
  Geographic Focus: North America
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15m
  Classes: Single Op
  Max power: 100 watts
  Exchange: NA: Name + (state/province/country)
            non-NA: Name
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
              non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
  Multipliers: Each US state (including KH6/KL7) once per band
               Each VE province/territory once per band
               Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: 0300Z December 7, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://www.3830scores.com
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.perluma.com/Phone_Fray_Contest_Rules.pdf

CWops Test (CWT): 1300Z-1400Z, Dec 5 and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 5 and 0300Z-0400Z, Dec 6
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Awards: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
  Max power: HP: >100 watts
             LP: 100 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: Member: Name + Member No./"CWA"
            non-Member: Name + (state/province/country)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: Each call once
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: 0400Z December 8, 2018
  Post log summary at: http://www.3830scores.com
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: https://cwops.org/cwops-tests/

QRP ARCI Topband Sprint: 0000Z-0600Z, Dec 6
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160m Only
  Classes: Single-Op
  Exchange: ARCI: RST + (state/province/country) + ARCI No.
            non-ARCI: RST + (state/province/country) + power out
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Work stations: Once per mode
QSO Points: ARCI Member: 5 points
Non-Member Different Continent: 4 points
Non-Member Same Continent: 2 points
Multipliers: States, once regardless of mode
VE Provinces, once regardless of mode
Countries, once regardless of mode
CW Power Mult: x1 >5W, x7 1-5W, x10 250mW-1W, 15x 55-250mW, 20x <55mW
SSB Power Mult: x1 >10W, x7 2-10W, x10 500mW-2W, 15x 100-500mW, 20x <100mW
Mixed Power Mult: smaller of CW or SSB power multiplier
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult
Submit logs by: December 20, 2018
E-mail logs to: (none)
Upload log at: http://www.qrpcontest.com
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/contests/138-topbandsprint

NRAU 10m Activity Contest: 1800Z-1900Z, Dec 6 (CW) and 1900Z-2000Z, Dec 6 (SSB) and 2000Z-2100Z, Dec 6 (FM) and 2100Z-2200Z, Dec 6 (Dig)
Geographic Focus: Nordic Europe
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW, SSB, FM, Digital
Bands: 10m Only
Classes: Single Op
Multi-Op
Exchange: RS(T) + 6-character grid square
QSO Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: December 20, 2018
Upload log at: http://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.nrau.net/activity-contests/below-30mhz.html

SKCC Sprint Europe: 2000Z-2200Z, Dec 6
Geographic Focus: Europe
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Name + (SKCC No./"NONE")
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points
Submit logs by: December 13, 2018
E-mail log summary to: (none)
Post log summary at: http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/skse/submit-display.php?submit_id=165
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/skse/

NCCC RTTY Sprint: 0145Z-0215Z, Dec 7
  Geographic Focus: North America
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: RTTY
  Bands: (see rules)
  Classes: (none)
  Max power: 100 watts
  Exchange: Serial No. + Name + QTH
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: December 9, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://www.3830scores.com/
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rttyns.html

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 7
  Geographic Focus: United States
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80m Only
  Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: 0330Z December 8, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (see rules)
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 7
  Geographic Focus: North America
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: (see rules)
  Classes: (none)
  Max power: 100 watts
  Exchange: Serial No. + Name + QTH
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: December 9, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://www.3830scores.com/
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.html

ARRL 10-Meter Contest: 0000Z, Dec 8 to 2400Z, Dec 9
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW, Phone
  Bands: 10m Only
  Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)(CW/Phone/Mixed)
           Single Op Unlimited (QRP/Low/High)(CW/Phone/Mixed)

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          Single Op Overlay: (Limited Antennas)
          Multi-Single (Low/High)
  Max operating hours: 36 hours
  Max power: HP: 1500 watts
             LP: 100 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: W/VE: RST + State/Province
            XE: RST + State
            DX: RST + Serial No.
            MM: RST + ITU Region
  QSO Points: 2 points per Phone QSO
              4 points per CW QSO
  Multipliers: Each US State + DC once per mode
               Each VE Province/Territory once per mode
               Each XE State once per mode
               Each DXCC Country once per mode
               Each ITU Region (MM only) once per mode
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: December 16, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Upload log at: http://contest-log-submission.arrl.org
  Mail logs to: 10 Meter Contest
                ARRL
                225 Main St.
                Newington, CT 06111
                USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/10-meter

PODXS 070 Club Triple Play Low Band Sprint: 0000Z, Dec 8 to 2359Z, Dec 10
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: PSK31
  Bands: 160, 80, 40m
  Classes: HP/MP/LP/QRP
  Max operating hours: 6 hrs per UTC day
  Max power: HP: 100 watts
             MP: 50 watts
             LP: 25 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO on 40m
              2 points per QSO on 80m
              3 points per QSO on 160m
  Multipliers: Each state, province and DXCC country once only
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: December 17, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Upload log at: http://hamclubs.info/scorer/
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.podxs070.com/o7o-club-sponsored-contests/triple-play-
low-band-sprint

TRC Digi Contest: 0600Z, Dec 8 to 1800Z, Dec 9
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  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: RTTY
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
           Single Op 3 Band (Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band
           Multi-Single
  Max operating hours: 24 hrs for single ops
  Max power: HP: >100W
             LP: 100W
             QRP: 5W
  Exchange: TRC Members: RST + Serial No. + "TRC"
            non-TRC Members: RST + Serial No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with TRC member
              1 point per QSO with same continent
              2 points per QSO with different continent
              1 point per QSO between TRC members
  Multipliers: Each TRC member country once per band
               Each country once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: 2359Z December 16, 2018
  E-mail logs to: trcdxc[at]trcdx[dot]org
  Upload log at: http://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en
  Mail logs to: Atanas Kolev
                PO Box 49
                6100 Kazanlak
                Bulgaria
  Find rules at: http://www.trcdx.org/trcdxc/trcdigi.html

SKCC Weekend Sprintathon: 1200Z, Dec 8 to 2400Z, Dec 9
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Awards: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
  Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
           Multi-Op
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Name + (SKCC No./"NONE")
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
              Bonus Points: (see rules)
  Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
  Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points
  Submit logs by: December 16, 2018
  Post log summary at: http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/
weekend_sprintathon/submit-display.php
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.skccgroup.com/operating_activities/
weekend_sprintathon/

International Naval Contest: 1600Z, Dec 8 to 1559Z, Dec 9
  Geographic Focus: Europe
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Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Naval Single Op All Band (CW/SSB/Mixed)
Naval Club Station
non-Naval
SWL
Max operating hours: 24 hours
Exchange: Naval Club Member: RS(T) + Club + Member No.
non-Naval Club Member: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: Naval Club Members: 10 points
non-Naval Club Members: 1 point
Multipliers: Naval Club Members, once regardless of band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: December 31, 2018
E-mail logs to: inc2018[at]nra[dot]pt
Mail logs to: Núcleo de Radioamadores da Armada
Base Naval de Lisboa - Alfeite
2810-001 Alfeite
Portugal
Find rules at: http://www.marinefunker.de/eng/show.php3?pos=16

QRP ARCI Holiday Spirits Sprint: 2000Z-2300Z, Dec 9
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: All Bands
Single Band
High Bands
Low Bands
Multi-Op
DX
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (ARCI number/power)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: ARCI Member: 5 points
Non-Member Different Continent: 4 points
Non-Member Same Continent: 2 points
Bonus points per band: 2000 for HB xmtr, 3000 for HB rcvr, 5000 for HB transcvr
Bonus points: 5000 for battery power portable with temporary antenna (not once per band)
Multipliers: States, once per band
VE Provinces, once per band
Countries, once per band
Power Mult: x1 >5W, x7 1-5W, x10 250mW-1W, 15x 55-250mW, 20x <55mW
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult) + bonus points
Submit logs by: December 23, 2018
E-mail logs to: (none)
Upload log at: http://www.qrpcontest.com
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/contests/142-holiday-homebrew-sprint

CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run: 2100Z-2259Z, Dec 9
  Geographic Focus: Worldwide
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 20m Only
  Classes: Single Op
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country)
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
              5 points per QSO with W0CQC or N0CQC
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: January 8, 2019
  E-mail logs to: vkumagai[at]q[dot]com
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.coloradoqrpclub.org/contests/snow.htm

4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint: 0100Z-0300Z, Dec 10
  Geographic Focus: North America
  Participation: Worldwide
  Mode: CW, SSB
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op
  Max power: CW: 5 watts, SSB: 10 watts
  Exchange: Member: RS(T) + (State/Province/Country) + Member No.
            Non-member: RS(T) + (State/Province/Country) + Power
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
              2 points per QSO with member
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: December 12, 2018
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://qrpcontest.com/4sqrp
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.4sqrp.com/SSS/sss_rules.pdf

NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

NAQCC CW Sprint	0130Z-0330Z, Dec 12
QRP Fox Hunt	0200Z-0330Z, Dec 12
Phone Weekly Test	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 12
CWops Test	1300Z-1400Z, Dec 12
	1900Z-2000Z, Dec 12
	0300Z-0400Z, Dec 13
NCCC RTTY Sprint	0145Z-0215Z, Dec 14
QRP Fox Hunt	0200Z-0330Z, Dec 14
NCCC Sprint	0230Z-0300Z, Dec 14
UN DIGI Contest	1400Z-1559Z, Dec 14
	1600Z-1759Z, Dec 14
Russian 160-Meter Contest	2000Z-2400Z, Dec 14

Feld Hell Sprint 0000Z-2359Z, Dec 15
OK DX RTTY Contest 0000Z-2400Z, Dec 15
Padang DX Contest 1200Z, Dec 15 to 1159Z, Dec 16
Croatian DX Contest 1400Z, Dec 15 to 1400Z, Dec 16
ARRL Rookie Roundup, CW 1800Z-2359Z, Dec 16
Run for the Bacon QRP Contest 0200Z-0400Z, Dec 17

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

SARL VHF/UHF FM Contest: December 3, 2018
E-mail: contest[at]sarl[dot]org[dot]za
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.sarl.org.za/Web3/Members/DoDocDownload.aspx?X=201712180812348XdiUz5yFy.PDF

LZ DX Contest: December 3, 2018
E-mail: lzdxc[at]bfra[dot]bg
Upload log at: http://bfra.bg:8080/WebEditor/
Mail: BFRA
P.O. Box 830
1000 Sofia
Bulgaria
Find rules at: http://lzdx.bfra.org/rulesen.html

Ukrainian DX Contest: December 4, 2018
E-mail: urdxc[at]ukr[dot]net
Mail: Ukrainian Contest Club HQ
P.O. Box 4850
Zaporozhye 69118
Ukraine
Web-to-Cab form: http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/ukrainiandx_cab.php
Find rules at: http://urdxc.org/rules.php?english

YARC QSO Party: December 7, 2018
E-mail: (see rules)
Upload log at: (see rules)
Mail: (see rules)
Find rules at: https://yarc.world/events/contests/2018/09/18/winter-qso-party-2018/

Wake-Up! QRP Sprint: December 8, 2018
E-mail: ru-qrp-club[at]mail[dot]ru
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://qrp.ru/contest/wakeup/333-wakeup-eng

INORC Contest: December 9, 2018

E-mail: IK1YBL[at]ALICE[dot]IT
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: https://www.inorc.it/wp/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/XXXVIII%C2%B0-CONTEST-INORC-2018-.pdf

PRO CW Contest: December 9, 2018
E-mail: contest[at]procwclub[dot]ro
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.procwclub.ro/TAC%20Rules.html

ARRL 160-Meter Contest: December 9, 2018
E-mail: (none)
Upload log at: http://contest-log-submission.arrl.org
Mail: 160 Meter Contest
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA
Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/160-meter

FT Roundup: December 9, 2018
E-mail: ft8-ru[at]cqww[dot]com
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.rttycontesting.com/ft8-roundup/rules/

Telephone Pioneers QSO Party: December 10, 2018
E-mail: n6tpjim[at]gmail[dot]com
Mail: Jim Muiter
4233 Wooster Ave.
San Mateo, CA, 94403
USA
Find rules at: http://www.tpqso.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/TPQSO-2018-Announcement-1.5.pdf

Zombie Shuffle: December 15, 2018
E-mail: na5n[at]zianet[dot]com
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.zianet.com/qrp/ZOMBIE/2018/pg.htm

Homebrew and Oldtime Equipment Party: December 21, 2018
E-mail: hot[at]qrpcc[dot]de
Mail: Lutz Gutheil, DL1RNN
Bergstr. 17
D-38446 Wolfsburg
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.qrpcc.de/contestrules/hotr.html

ARRL EME Contest: December 25, 2018
E-mail: (upload preferred)
Upload log at: http://contests.arrl.org/arrlemescoresubmission.php
Mail: EME Contest
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111

USA
Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/eme-contest

ARRL EME Contest: December 25, 2018
E-mail: (upload preferred)
Upload log at: http://contests.arrl.org/arrlemescoresubmission.php
Mail: EME Contest
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA
Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/eme-contest

ARRL EME Contest: December 25, 2018
E-mail: (upload preferred)
Upload log at: http://contests.arrl.org/arrlemescoresubmission.php
Mail: EME Contest
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA
Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/eme-contest

IPARC Contest, CW: December 31, 2018
E-mail: dj6qq[at]darc[dot]de
Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DJ6QQ
Hurststr 9
D-51645 Gummersbach
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.iparc.de

IPARC Contest, SSB: December 31, 2018
E-mail: dj6qq[at]darc[dot]de
Mail: Uwe Greggersen, DJ6QQ
Hurststr 9
D-51645 Gummersbach
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.iparc.de

JIDX Phone Contest: December 31, 2018
E-mail: ph[at]jidx[dot]org
Mail: JIDX Phone Contest
P.O.Box 22,
Mitaka,
Tokyo 181-8799
Japan
Find rules at: http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html

AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party: January 1, 2019
E-mail: dgparker2[at]wisc[dot]edu
Mail: Dave Parker
PO Box 6
Prairie du Sac, WI 53578
USA

Find rules at: http://www.antiquewireless.org/bruce-kelley-memorial-cw-qso-party.html

UFT Meeting: January 14, 2019
E-mail: f6cel[at]orange[dot]fr
Mail: (Ghislain BARBASON
5, rue de l'écluse
F-02190 PIGNICOURT
France
Find rules at: http://www.uft.net/articles.php?lng=fr&pg=116&mnuid=105&tconfig=0

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